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CITY NEWS.

Chas. E. Coffin is indorser on J. W. Bugbee's paper, the last draft the former made for \$1,200. The draft was returned dishonored from Boston.

Harmony council, Junior O. U. A. W., will dedicate the new council chamber in Wright's Market street block to-night. A number of young men will be initiated.

Dealers in lumber report an increasing demand for building purposes from the country. This is one of the surest indications of returning prosperity, revival of the material growth.

J. B. Deamer, the missing insane man, whose disappearance was mentioned a few days ago, was found yesterday at Kokomo. He was brought to this city to-day and will be placed in the asylum.

Benjamin F. Fletcher, arrested as one of the shop lifters the other day was yesterday released by the mayor, there being no evidence against him. His wife, two sisters and his brother-in-law are held to answer.

It is announced that Seully and Sedman have arranged for a fifty mile walking match, for April 21, at \$100 a side. This wasted leg power might profitably be employed on the rotary walk of a wood-sawing machine.

The cashier of one of our large institutions endeavored yesterday to procure enough gold to pay off its employees. The effort was a failure, there not being enough gold in the city for the purpose. One of the banks, with a circulation of \$250,000, had but \$6 in gold on hand.

W. P. Fishback, master in chancery, is hearing the case of Palmer and others of Madison, vs. H. C. Adams, assignees of Maxwell, Fry & Thurston. Palmer et al. hold a note for \$5,000, signed by the firm, and given by W. H. Fry, sr., to Palmer as collateral for \$1,200, which Adams, as assignee, refuses to allow as a claim against the firm.

William Hadley, city assessor, has appointed the following deputies to make the assessment of personal property: L. D. McLain, O. S. Dale, Edwin Carpenter, John Vance, B. D. Townsend, Samuel McClure, John F. Lane, John W. Smithers, Horace Weston, Owen Williams, John Truckess, Peter R. Fennell, G. W. Buchanan, J. J. Davis, Herman Hensel, J. J. Taylor, P. R. Stroupe, Edward Vance and J. E. Dill. Horace M. Hadley will be principal clerk and Charles S. Wright, C. W. Pritchard and L. L. Hadley assistants.

[The following appeared only in the first edition of yesterday.]

SING-SANG.

The Mossy-Backed Reporter, Aroused by the thought of Ginseng, Dreams over the Past and Bewails the Departing Glories of the Woods.

The cultivation of ginseng is suggested by somebody or other, and among other reasons for it are two or three good ones. It can be cultivated here where it is, or used to be, indigenous and prolific, if it can be cultivated at all; it is in great demand always, the supply never filling the market; it commands a high price, steadily growing higher. It is within the memory of those who have fished in Pogue's creek and shot turkeys on the sight of Tinkerstreet, that ginseng was once as abundant and natural a production as could be found in the woods. It was especially thick in the dense timber south of Merrill street about where Schmidt's brewery is, and west of that in the vicinity of South Illinois, Maple and South Meridian streets to the bluff bank of the river, it was as common as nettles or "pocoon." There was a little establishment for curing it near the base of the bluff at a time when the base had not been "balled," and not deemed a nobler game than "bull pen," another globular diversion. James Blake owned it, and bought large quantities of ginseng from the farmers' boys, who called it "sang" with the same economy of breath that reduced Indianapolis to their utterance to "napoleons." He had about three inches wide, with a "poll" or upper part divided into two prongs was used for digging it, and was called a "sang hoe." There are not many residents of Indianapolis, with its hundred thousand souls, who remember the "sang hoe." "Sang," the "sang factor," and the "sang hoe" have all gone the way of the world together. For a good while the drug stores maintained the trade in the slowly disappearing root, but if they buy it yet they get it from woods out of smell of the Sellers farm and beyond the rather indefinite stretch of the city before the panic knocked off its existence. There is none around in any reasonable reach to-day. There used to be lots of hazel bushes and nuts in the lower part of the creek bottom, with ginseng, but these are another lost gift of primal times. So are black haws. Who has seen a bunch of black haws here in its native state or anywhere else in a quarter of a century, the growth of any part of Center township? Pawpaws, though not obsolete with their contemporaneous luxuries of wild delight, are obsolescent. They are going. In a few more years they will be gone and then we will import them as we do bananas and like them as well, when we have to pay well for poor ones. Then we shall appreciate them. Maybe sooner, "for blessings brighter as they take their flight." "We never miss the water till the well runs dry," and the vast store of pawpaws collected in the river bottoms, with a wealth of wild grapes and black mulberries, is going fast. Wild plums are gone, too, and "the woods," so to speak, "were full of 'em." There is nothing left of native dainties but nuts, and the chief of these is going to make furniture, and the next is following on wheels. The "May apple" is abundant yet in spots, and uncultivated, and thick this spring, but it is almost alone and we could well spare it, for though its stalk is actual and present its fruit is becoming mythical. At least it isn't as good as it used to be to boys who got a half a day in the woods and driving the cows to pasture, sawing wood and spending up the garden. Ginseng was a favorite then, to eat, and "Indian turnip" to give to others to eat. What boy of fifty or thereabouts has not been fooled on "Indian turnip" and "prickly ash berries," pet of the old "Thompsonian" No. 6 steam practice? Ginseng might be grown from the seed if any can be found. It used to produce a very beautiful, pulpy little egg-shaped sort of cherry of a rich crimson color, and as strong of the ginseng flavor as the root itself. This, if the mossy-backed is not mistaken, contained the seed, and if cultivation facts so favorably on wild grapes, like the Catawba, or wild cherry, like tobacco, or wild roots, like celery, it is not easy why the same process would not act favorably and profitably on ginseng, the victim of civilization. Dog fennel ran out the aromatic ginseng, the pure-blossomed, quaint-leaved flower, and now the rag weed has run out dog fennel. No wonder we sigh for the "good old time."

Better Feeding in Roumania.

LONDON, April 15.—The Roumanian press renews its accusation against the government of secretly abetting Russia. The opinion is shared by many of the people that unless the country receives powerful extraneous support Russia will succeed in her designs. The prime minister Bratiano's return without assurance from Vienna and with advice from Berlin to yield will not strengthen the disposition to oppose Russia, although the feeling against her in the army as well as among the citizens is very bitter. Hundreds of empty carts are passing through Bucharest from Russia, going to the Danube to transport supplies from the depots along the river to the troops in the field.

Arrival of Captive Indians.

FORTRESS MONROE, April 15.—The chiefs of the Kiowas, Comanches and Arapahoe Indians, with their warriors, 59 in number, confined at St. Augustine, Florida, the past three years, arrived here yesterday and go west this evening. Seventeen, however, will remain at the Hampton Normal school. Among the chiefs are Lone Wolf, White Horse, Black Horse and Eagle Head.

Prices of Coal.

NEW YORK, April 15.—The Delaware and Hudson canal company announce prices of Lackawanna coal per ton this month as follows: Furnace lump, steamer lump, grate and chestnut, \$3.50 each; egg, \$3.60; stove, \$3.90.

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CITY NEWS.

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Prof. A. R. Benton has been appointed to fill the Greek professorship at Butler university.

Mrs. Dr. Bullard is at the head of an organization to furnish food to patients at the city dispensary.

The Coen divorce case was settled yesterday afternoon, a satisfactory division of property being made.

Street contractors are talking of forming a union, to prevent the business from becoming utterly demoralized.

John Buchanan, arrested yesterday at the request of his guardian, John Leddy, is a candidate for the house of refuge.

Yesterday was the last day for paying city and county taxes, and the rush was tremendous. The receipts at the city treasury were \$82,500.

The board of county commissioners were in Washington township to-day, examining some bridges with a view to determining whether they need replacing.

Architects Bunting and Hodgson yesterday refused to receive their plans and specifications for a state house, which were returned by order of the commissioners.

A colony of vagrants, seven in number, captured last night in the stable in the rear of Senator McDonald's residence, were sent to jail this morning by Mayor Caven.

The I. B. B.'s will play a picked nine at the park this afternoon at 4 o'clock. The game will be evened by Flint and Nolan catching and pitching with the non-professionals.

Charles Williams, a suspected felon, arrested yesterday by Marshall and Cotton, pleaded guilty this morning and went to jail. Several new silk handkerchiefs were found on him when arrested.

In pursuance with the agreement of the stockholders of the Bank of Commerce, made some weeks ago, the cash necessary to increase the capital from \$100,000 to \$200,000 has been paid in.

J. B. Maynard, editor of the Sentinel, leaves to-morrow on a two weeks' pleasure trip. He is not decided whether to go to New Orleans, or to Washington, New York and thence to Connecticut.

Charges of unprofessional practice against J. K. Jones in the bankruptcy proceedings against Shivel & Smith, have been filed before Judge Gresham, who will fix upon an early date for their hearing.

Misses Katie and Fannie McDowell, formerly with the Evangeline troupe, recently singing in Chicago, returned home last night. They intend going on a professional tour to California after a few weeks' rest.

William Wallace, Esq., will deliver an address before the several odd fellows' lodges of this city, which will unite on the 26th inst. in observing the 59th anniversary of the establishment of the order in this country.

Col. Robert G. Ingersoll will lecture here on Wednesday, May 1, on "Intellectual Development, or the Democracy of the Fireside." This will be the only lecture that Col. Ingersoll will deliver in Indianapolis this season.

B. F. Tuttle was called to New York last night by the serious illness of his sister, Mrs. Reed Wright. She will be remembered as having read here two and a half years ago. She was stricken with apoplexy, while reading at the Cooper institute, four or five evenings ago.

There are now about 25,000 bushels of potatoes in the hands of operators who bought them last fall, anticipating a rise. Several of the speculators are clothing men, who filled their cellars with the tubers at 40 cents a bushel, and now find hard work to dispose of them at a loss of 25 cents on each bushel.

The Metropolitan has an "attraction" this week in a trapeze performer who, with his swing oscillating with fearful rapidity above the heads of the audience, executes a series of terrifying feats. Some of these nights he will make a slight miscalculation in his tosses, and falling from his giddy height, kill four or five innocent spectators. The city council should take these performances in hand, and prescribe a net work to be placed beneath the reckless gymnasts.

THE STATE HOUSE.

A Proposition to Build it on Mississippi Street.

As a general reply to the architectural kickers who lay great stress upon rumored changes in the May state house plan, General Morris, speaking for the commissioners, says: "No change was ever made in the plan and it is not certain that any will be made, although we hold ourselves at perfect liberty to make any alteration in details we may think necessary or advisable, and would have done so whatever plan had been adopted." This certainly is sufficiently explicit, and shows the commissioners propose to manage affairs as they in their wisdom may deem best, regardless of architectural pressure.

At the meeting of the board this morning, Architect May, being present, the question came up as to whether it would not be better to put the proposed state house flush to the Mississippi street line instead of locating it in the center of the two squares. The ground is to be staked off and the proposed change looked at in all its bearings. The advantages at first blush appear numerous enough. It would leave a large space of ground between the building and Tennessee street, making a fine perspective, while the view of the ground and surroundings from north to south would be much improved, as it would give additional room for shrubbery and ornamentation, creating a handsome park. If the building is placed on the east line of Mississippi street, coal and other heavy freights, after the finishing of the building, could be unloaded on that street and not hauled through the grounds, while a saving of money could be effected in making the front on that street, a plain one, a part of the saving to be applied to beautifying the east front. About the building the grand line is to be elevated six feet above the street grade which, with a gentle slope to the street edge, will add to the beauty of the prospect and the appearance of the capitol. The objections that obtrude are that in putting the state house on the side of the lot the equilateral symmetry would be destroyed and the \$2,000,000 capital would be a distorted, lopsided appearance and be utterly devoid of architectural sympathy with the surrounding squares. The main entrance would not then be on Washington, but Tennessee street.

THE ART RECEPTION.

Some of the Attractions that will be on Exhibition at the Art School Rooms, May 7th.

The grand opening reception of the Indiana art association, under the auspices of the Indiana school of art, has been definitely settled upon for Tuesday evening May 7th. The number of fine art works already secured for the first exhibition amounts to upwards of three hundred, among which are some choice gems. The "Prize of the State" is described by the press of other cities where it has been exhibited, as a magnificent work of one of America's greatest landscape painters. It is a typical landscape of the Cordilleras of Colorado, and is superb in effect and color. The scene is large, exceeding somewhat in size, Bierstadt's Yosemite Valley, and Church's Heart of the Andes, two pictures of kindred rank. A splendid picture of the Cavalier's Study, being a marvelously painted arrangement of still life, grouped in a quiet corner in a quaint old tapestried palace, will attract especial attention from the fidelity of the work and poetic suggestions it contains. A series of 25 landscapes, being studies in Tyrol and Berchtesgaden, in the Oetzthal and other celebrated localities of Europe, form another important addition to the collection. They are by a distinguished American artist who lately died in Europe.

Another acquisition that will be a great treat to our connoisseurs is a series of remarkable pictures that partake of the character of historical compositions, though the events they illustrate are legendary. They are known as the Sleepy Hollow series, illustrating incidents in the life of Irving's Rip Van Winkle.

The reception is intended to be the event of the season, and to fitly inaugurate an undertaking which is enlisting the heartiest cooperation on the part of the best citizens, not only of Indianapolis but the state. The invitations to members and guests are being prepared and will be ready before the close of the week.

What We Trust Him For.

Captain Ritter is not often nonplussed, either in conducting a law suit or teaching a Sunday-school class, but an answer to one of his questions the other Sunday rather brought him down. The subject of the lesson was the dealings of God with man in every phase of life. Taking out a silver dollar he asked what that was, to which one little fellow responded: "Ninety-two cents." This surprised the captain, but he rallied and went on, until he asked, to further illustrate the extent to which God enters into the dealings of men: "What is the motto on the dollar?"

"In God we trust," responded one little fellow who was posted.

"What do we trust him for?"

"For the other eight cents," said the ninety-two cent boy.

That ended the lesson, and the captain retired to cogitate.

MRS. PAXTON'S WILL.

Requests to Relatives and Various Organizations--The Churches and Benevolent Societies Especially Remembered.

The last will and testament of Elizabeth Paxton, recently deceased, was filed for probate this morning. It is a long document and gives the following directions and makes the bequests named by paragraphs set out:

1st. That all expenses of last illness and funeral expenses be paid.

2nd. That \$500 be used for a monument for herself and husband in Crown Hill cemetery.

3d. Gives personal articles to sundry relatives.

4th. Decrees that all her real estate and personal be sold and given to: Mary Lane, \$1,000; Susan Lane, \$1,000; Douglas Lane, \$500; Wm. Hannaman, \$500; Henry G. Hannaman, \$500; Mary E. Hannaman, \$500; Archibald T. Lane, \$500; Douglas Lane, \$500; Burdick Lane, \$500; Eliza J. Smith, \$500; trustees of Roberts Park M. E. church, \$2,000; to be placed at interest and the income thereof to be used for the relief of any destitute female members of said church aged 70 years or over, who have been members continuously in good standing in said church for three years prior to such relief being given.

"I don't want to leave anything for tramps" declared the decedent. The said fund is to be known as the Paxton fund for aged female poor of Roberts Park Methodist Episcopal Church and to be held by the trustees in trust for the purposes herein named, the interest to be collected and disbursed semi-annually or quarterly, \$10 to the trustees of each of the following named churches, belonging to the Methodist Episcopal church, viz: Roberts Park, Trinity, Grace, Fletcher Place, Southside and Third street, \$100 each, to be expended for the Sunday schools connected with said churches. Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church, \$500; American Bible society, \$500; to be placed to the credit of the Female Bible society of Indianapolis; Trustees of Indiana Asbury university, \$500; Southside M. E. church, \$100. Orphan's home, Hannah T. Hadley, president, \$200; Young Men's Christian Association, \$100; Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of M. E. Church, \$200; Home of Friendless Women, \$200; Woman's Christian Temperance Union, \$200.

5th. If the amount realized on sales of property sold and the income thereon, should be insufficient to pay the bequests, the same shall be added to the \$2,000 for Paxton fund for aged female poor of Roberts Park.

6th. Appoints Francis M. Churchman, Frederick Baggs and Eli F. Ritter executors under the will.

7th. Gives clothing, furniture, etc., to Susan Lane and Mary E. Hannaman and other relatives.

8th. Declares that: "I have tried to be just to all parties, and if I have made any mistakes I trust my love for all the persons and objects remembered in this will may result in many errors or mistakes. If any one shall attempt in any manner to interfere with the disposition made by this will, the property entrusted to me, I will that such person, society, organization or church shall not have any portion of my property, and the portion that would, under this will, have been set apart to such person, society, organization or church, shall be divided among those who were satisfied with this, my disposition of my effects."

The will was signed and sealed March 22, 1877, in presence of Frederick Baggs and John W. Ray, as witnesses.

HOME FOR THE AGED.

The Building to be Put Up by the Little Sisters of the Poor.

Mention was made a few days ago of the fact that a permit had been issued for the erection of a home for aged persons to be built by the Little Sisters of the Poor. Yesterday afternoon, a reporter for The News inspected the plans for the proposed building at the office of D. A. Bohlen, architect. As designed, house will have a frontage on Vermont street of 132 feet and a depth of 70 feet on East street. It is divided into three divisions, a center building and two wings, the latter are 25x70 feet; the former 82x32 feet, with a projection in the rear for stair cases. The center building recedes 18 feet from the front line of the wings, and is entered by a large doorway in the center. An outer stairway leads into each wing, at the angle formed with the main building. The style of architecture is quite plain, no attempt whatever being made at decoration or ornamentation of any kind. A small tower over the main entrance is the most prominent feature of the perspective. The house will be three stories in height with basement and attic, the latter to be used for storage purposes only. It will be constructed of brick, with stone foundations and trimmings. Contractors have been let for enclosing the house which aggregate \$15,789, and the officers are only waiting to hear from the mother house at Brooklyn before beginning work. It is necessary for them to know what amount of money can be relied on from headquarters, so as to determine whether to build the entire structure as planned or to leave the wings until some future time. The contractors are the following: Masonry, Helm & Co.; brickwork, John Martin; cut stone, Smith, Ittenbach & Co.; carpentering, Junglauss & Schumacher; slate roof and galvanized iron work, Johnston Bros. It is the expectation to occupy the house by the first of October.

The Little Sisters of the Poor first made an appearance in this city six years ago, beginning their work of caring for the aged poor at No. 77 Kentucky avenue. Thence they removed to their present building on East street, occupying the rear end of the lot where the new building is to stand. That has accommodations for about 50 persons, but the demands upon them have so increased that the sisters find themselves unable to do for all who are placed in their charge. The new building will accommodate 120 persons, and will enable the sisters to extend their charity to many who deserve it and can not now receive it for want of room. This benevolent work is carried on so quietly that but few persons know of its extent.

Verdict in the Explosion Inquest.

After the impanelling of the coroner's jury yesterday in the matter of the death of John Cotheizer, who died from the effects of injuries received in an explosion at the Eagle Machine works, Saturday afternoon, the members visited the scene of the accident and examined the surroundings and inspected pieces of the boiler. A number of witnesses were examined, the principal ones being Charles Harwood, engineer, who was a victim of the explosion, L. W. Hasselman, president of the C. A. G. C. Co., George C. Hillman, another of the wounded, Philip Meikel and Samuel A. Hamilton. It was shown by the evidence that the boiler was not being tested, but that the engine was being adjusted by Mr. Harwood. The boiler was made of Swift & Co's charcoal hammered No. 1 iron, which is tested before being used, and not over 40 pounds pressure of steam was on when the explosion occurred. A verdict was returned of death from injuries received at the explosion, the cause of which is unknown to the jury.

Cotheizer was buried to-day. The other sufferers are in a favorable condition. Mr. Swift's case being considered the most critical. Harwood still suffers greatly from his burns and scalds.

The Greenley Case.

When Judge Buskirk sentenced Greenley to be hung, he allowed eight weeks in which the case might be examined by the supreme court, and by the governor in case it was brought to his attention by a petition for the exercise of executive clemency. Five of these weeks have already elapsed, and not until to-day was the record submitted to the supreme court, although it has been complete for some time. The object of this delay may be explained by a remark made by one of the attorneys for the defense a day or two ago, to the effect that the record was so big a respite ought to be granted Greenley. The record is so large why wasn't it given to the supreme court at once, so that it might be acted upon? It is this dilly-dallying of attorneys that makes the administration of law and justice such a sham and a reproach.

Mr. Hamilton, engineer at the water works building, and Sidney Dyer, secretary of the company, will be retained in their respective positions by the new management.

The persons who have been engaged for several nights in mysterious nocturnal digging, near the Noble street bridge, are searching for hidden treasure. A diagram has been found with directions how to dig to get the vessel buried there, the contents of which are thought to be valuable. The treasure was probably placed there by Pogue's run pirates, contemporaries of Capt. Kidd as he sailed.

The opening of the new millinery parlors of L. S. Ayres & Co., announced for yesterday, was a mistake, as it commenced this morning to last through to-morrow.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Fine Toilet Soaps and Powders, Cosmetics, at Browning & Sloan's.

Easter eggs of wood, China and composition at Chas. Mayer & Co's.

Boys' straw hats, 10c, at Stout's.

Loth's, Coudray's and Landberg's Fine Extracts, at Browning & Sloan's.

Feather dusters, sponges, chamois skins, cheapest at Chas. Mayer & Co's.

Just vacated, two suits of desirable front rooms, at the "Batterprise," Massachusetts avenue.

Cologne Sets, Hand Mirrors, at Browning & Sloan's.

New stock of Majolica, English and China ornaments at Chas. Mayer & Co's.

D. Lelewer, hatter, removed from Vance block to No. 10 W. Washington st. (near Meridian.)

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IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Indiana.

In the matter of Richard T. Abrell, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.

Notice is hereby given that the second meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held at the office of Henry Jordan, Register, room No. 6 Journal Building, corner Circle and Market streets, in the city of Indianapolis, in said district, on the 24th day of April, 1878, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purposes named in the 27th section of the Bankrupt Act, approved March 2, 1867.

And I further give notice that I will, on said day, file my final accounts as assignee of said bankrupt, and shall then apply to said court for the final settlement of my accounts, and for a discharge from all liability as assignee of said estate, in accordance with the provisions of the 28th section of the bankrupt act, approved March 2, 1867.

Room No. 11 Journal Building, Indianapolis, Ind. v t-v us

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Indiana.

In the matter of Chester Bradford, bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a third general meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, held at the office of Henry Jordan, Register, room No. 6 Journal Building, corner Circle and Market streets, in the city of Indianapolis, in said district, on the 24th day of April, 1878, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purposes named in the 28th section of the Bankrupt Act, approved March 2, 1867.

And I further give notice that I will, on said day, file my final accounts as assignee of said bankrupt, and shall then apply to said court for the final settlement of my accounts, and for a discharge from all liability as assignee of said estate, in accordance with the provisions of the 28th section of the bankrupt act, approved March 2, 1867.

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IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Indiana.

In the matter of Charles G. Morris. In Bankruptcy.

At Indianapolis, April 13, 1878.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Charles G. Morris, of Indianapolis, in the county of Marion, State of Indiana, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt, upon his own petition, by the District Court of said district.

v o-tu DAVIES M. GREENE, Assignee.